

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI.

No. 3351

THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 1893.

SIX DOLLARS
PER QUARTER

Banks.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,
LIMITED.
Authorised Capital \$1,000,000
Subscribed Capital \$500,000

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors—
D. Gillies, Esq. Chow Tung Shang, Esq.
Chan Kit Shan, Esq. W. Wotton, Esq.
C. J. Hirst, Esq. Kwan Ho Chuen, Esq.
Chief Manager, GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Branches.—London, Yokohama, Shanghai,
Amoy and Foochow.

BANKERS.—
The Commercial Bank of Scotland;
Paris Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ltd.).

Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent.
" 6 " " 3 "
CURRENT ACCOUNTS " 3 "
Hongkong, 12th December, 1892. 18

NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION,
LIMITED, (IN LIQUIDATION).

PAYMENT OF FIRST DIVIDEND.

NOTICE is hereby given that a FIRST DIVIDEND of 50 Per Cent. will be PAYABLE ON APPLICATION, at the Office of the NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION, on and after the 16th instant, to all Creditors whose CLAIMS have been received and admitted.

Deposit Receipts, Bills of Exchange, &c., must be handed in before the Dividend can be paid.

E. W. RUTTER,
Attorney for the Liquidator,
Hongkong, 16th January, 1893. 162

BIGG'S TRIFERS.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE
COMPANY,
ESTABLISHED 1825.

INVESTED FUNDS \$7,000,000 Sig.
ANNUAL INCOME \$900,000 Sig.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS, SHANGHAI:
AUGUSTUS WHITE, Esq.

F. H. BELL, Esq.
JAMES L. SCOTT, Esq.

NEIL MACLEOD, Esq., M.D., Medical Officer.

W. T. PHIPPS, Esq., Chief Agent.

AGENCIES:
Amoy—Messrs. Brown & Co.
Canton—Messrs. Rowe & Co.
Chefoo—Messrs. Cornabe & Co.
Foochow—Messrs. Phillips, Phillips & Co.
Hankow—Messrs. W. Farber Sharp & Co.
Kobe—Messrs. Browne & Co.
Nagasaki—China & Japan Trading Co., Ltd.
Nankin—Messrs. Bandinel & Co.
Ningpo—Gustav Kultau, Esq.
Peking—Dr. Dugdale, Medical Officer.
Swatow—Messrs. Bradley & Co.
Tientsin—Messrs. Wilson & Co.
Yokohama—Messrs. Frasier, Farley & Co.

The Standard is an old and wealthy Scotch Office, well-known throughout India and the East, and has acquired a marked character for sound and liberal management.

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong,
679-5 Standard Life Office.

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE
INSURANCE COMPANY OF
NEW ZEALAND.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on favourable terms.

Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal to that paid by the local Offices.

S. J. DAVID & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 1st November, 1892. 1380

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY,
LIMITED.

CAPITAL, TAI-LOU, \$4,000,000

RESERVE FUND \$833,333-33

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

LEE SING, Esq. LO YUEN MOON, Esq.
LOU TSO SHUN, Esq. MAHAGK, HO AME.

MARINE RISKS ON GOODS, &c., etc., etc.
at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST,
Hongkong, 17th December, 1892. 869

NOTICE.

THE MAN-ON INSURANCE COMPANY
LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED, \$1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on Goods, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN,
Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE,
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST,
Hongkong, 1st February, 1892. 149

NOTICE.

M. JOHN HUGHES LEWIS AUTHO-
RISED to Sign our Firm from this date.

DOUGLAS LAPRAKE & Co.,
Hongkong, 20th December, 1892. 1266

NOTICE.

VICTORIA'S LODGE

HONGKONG, NO. 1025.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the VICTORIA'S LODGE, Zetland Street, on MONDAY, the 2nd instant, at 8.30, for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brothers are cordially invited.

Hongkong, 17th January, 1893. 149

Intimations.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FOURTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices on WEDNESDAY, the 25th January, 1893, at 12 o'clock NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1892.

The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from Saturday the 21st to Wednesday, the 25th January, 1893, (both days inclusive) during which period no TRANSFER of SHARES can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment
and Agency Company, Limited,
General Agents for The West Point Building
Company, Limited.

Hongkong, 7th January, 1893. 178

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO
STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTY-THIRD ORDINARY HALF-
YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 18, BANK BUILDINGS, Queen's Road Central, on MONDAY, the 30th instant, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with their Statement of Accounts declaring a Dividend, and electing Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to 30th instant, inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

T. ARNOLD,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 12th January, 1893. 194

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT
AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FIFTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, VICTORIA BUILDINGS, on TUESDAY, the 31st of January, 1893, at 12 o'clock NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1892.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from Monday the 23rd to Tuesday, the 31st January, 1893, (both days inclusive), during which period no TRANSFER of SHARES can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 13th January, 1893. 199

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office, VICTORIA BUILDINGS, on FRIDAY, the 3rd of February, 1893, at 3 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts for the twelve months ending 31st December, 1892.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Thursday the 2nd January to Friday, the 3rd February, 1893, (both days inclusive), during which period no TRANSFER of SHARES can be registered.

A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment
and Agency Company, Limited,
Agents for the Kowloon Land and Building
Company, Limited.

Hongkong, 18th January, 1893. 113

SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &c.

The Electric Lighting now partly laid on will be completed during this year, 1893.

An Assistant will attend on Passengers by Mail Steamers.

N.B.—TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS—"CENTRAL, SHANGHAI."

K E B A O,

SOCIETE ANONYME FRANCAISE.

CAPITAL 4,000,000 FRANCS.

I A SOCIETE KÉBAO (TONKIN), dont l'extinction prend le cours de l'importance et qui est veule FOURNISSEUR DE LA MARINE FRANCAISE AU TONKIN, dont le Charbon est brûlé d'une façon régulière à bord des Steamers des MESSAGERIES MARITIMES, et en particulier à bord du *Hippone*, volont introduire ses Charbons sur la place de Hongkong et confier le soleil de son Agence à la maison

SHEWAN & Cie.,
Psywa Central, Hongkong,
à partir du 1er Novembre, 1893.

Le Directeur Général de Kébaos.

HENRY PORTAL.

Kébaos, le 10 Decembre, 1892. 142

THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st January, 1893, the following PRICES will be charged for MILK.

For
1 or 2 Half Pint Bottles per Day—10 cents.
3, 4 do. do. do. 9 " "
5, 6 do. do. do. 8 " "
7, more do. do. do. 7 " "

By Order of the Board.

W. HUTTON POTT,

Secretary.

Hongkong, 30th December, 1892. 146

NOTICE.

THE MARIA CHRISTINA CIGAR DEPOT,
No. 8, D'AGUILAR STREET, HONGKONG.

IT HAS received from their MANUFACTORY in Manila some specially-made CIGARS for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

THE CIGARS from this MANUFACTORY have obtained PRIZES at all the EXHIBITIONS for excellence of Leaf and Workmanship.

An inspection is regularly solicited.

Hongkong, 14th December, 1892. 141

NOTICE.

J. D. KILEY,
MANUFACTURER OF
BALLOONS, PARACHUTES, TENTS, &
No. 3, JUBILEE STREET,
Hongkong.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1893. 103

Intimations.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

HAVE RECEIVED THEIR NEW STOCK OF

SADDLERY

Racing Saddles 3 lb. & 5 lb., Saddle Cloths, Weight Cloths, Clothing, Bridles, Racing and Driving Reins.

Surcingle, Girths, Rollers, Stirrup Leathers and Webs, Headstalls, Cruppers, Martingales, Halters Hunting Crops,

POLO BITS.

Box Spurs, Racing Spurs, Hunting Crops.

STABLE BRUSHES AND REQUISITES.

Riding Boots, Jockey Boots, Boot Tops, Boot-top Liquid, Saddle Soap, Brown Leather Paste.

Hongkong, 28th December, 1892. 1024

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

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Intimations.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

FLUID EXTRACT OF MALT.

THE use of that extremely valuable Food and Remedy EXTRACT OF MALT has been retarded by its usually viscid condition; to obviate this objection we have had prepared a FLUID EXTRACT OF MALT easily poured out of the bottle and measured into doses as any other Fluid.

It contains as much of the DIASTASE as any viscid EXTRACT OF MALT and is therefore fully as active in tissue forming and digestive power.

Two tablespoonfuls of our FLUID EXTRACT OF MALT contain more nutritive and digestive value than a pint of the strongest Ale or Stout. In 1lb. bottle 75 cents. Per dozen \$8.00. Hongkong 12th January, 1893. [38]

A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD. WINES AND SPIRITS.

We invite attention to the following Brands, all of which are excellent quality and good value for the money.

The same being specially selected by our London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best growths at moderate prices.

In ordering it is only necessary to state the name and quality of Wine or Spirit wanted, and initial letter for quality desired.

PORTS. (For Invalids and general Use).

Per doz. Per Bot. Case.

A Alto Douro, good quality, Green Capsule \$1.00

B Vintage, superior quality, Red Capsule 1.10

C Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Capsule 1.25

D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, VInet Capsule (Old Bottled) 1.50

SHERRIES.

A Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule 6

B Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule 7.50

C Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule 10

CC Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule 10

D Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old wine, White Seal Capsule 12

E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capsule (Old Bottled) 14

CLARETS.

A Superior Breakfast Claret, Red Capsule 4

B St. Estephe, Red Capsule 4.50

C St. Julien, Red Capsule 7

D La Rose, Red Capsule 11

Salute Foy 12

Custard 8

Château d'Anglade 12

Château Haut Bilon Lariv 17

Château Mouton d'Armailhacq 19

HOCKS.

Nierstein 12

Hockheimer 20

Rudesheimer 24

BURGUNDIES.

Chablis, white wine 12

Meursault, superior white wine 16

Volnay, very superior red wine 19

MADEIRA AND CHAMPAGNES.

FULL PARTICULARS OF VARIOUS BRANDS ON APPLICATION.

Per doz. Per Bot. Case.

BRANDY.

A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red Capsule \$1.13

B Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule 1.40

C Very Old Liqueur Cognac 20

D Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule 2.50

WHISKY.

SCOTCH.

A Thorne's Blend, White Capsule 8

B Watson's Glenroyal Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark 8

C Watson's Abelour-Glenlivet, Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark 8

D Watson's H. K. D. Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule 10

E Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Gold Capsule 12

Daniel Crawford's Finest Very Old Scotch Whisky 10

IRISH.

A John Jameson's Old, Green Capsule 8

B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule 10

C John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule 12

AMERICAN.

Genuine Bourbon Whisky, Fine Old, Red Capsule, with our Name & Trade Mark 10

GIN.

A Fine Old Tom White Capsule 4.50

B Fine Unsweetened, White Capsule 4.50

C Fine A. V. H. Geneva 5.25

R. J. M. Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Capsule 12

Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Capsule 12

Good Lewdward Island 6.50 per Gallon

Aggregating 6,650 tons, register.

NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

It is requested that all communications relating to Subscriptions, Advertising, &c., be addressed to the "Manager, Hongkong Telegraph," not to the Editor.

Letters on Editorial matters to be sent to "The Editor" and not to individual members of the staff.

Communications intended for publication must be accompanied by the name and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication, but as evidence of original authorship.

While the editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph" will always give full attention to the discussion by correspondents of all questions affecting public interests, it must be distinctly understood that the Editor does not in any way hold himself responsible for opinions thus expressed.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers are requested to send all notices intended for insertion in that day's issue not later than Three o'clock so as not to retard the early publication of the paper.

Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a specified period will be continued until countermanded.

The "Hongkong Telegraph" is the lowest circulation of any English newspaper in the East, and is therefore the best medium for Advertisers. Terms can be learnt on application.

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TO SUBSCRIBERS.

SUBSCRIBERS TO "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" ARE MOST RESPECTFULLY REMINDED THAT ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 1893.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

On the 11,000,000 women in Italy about 2,000,000 are employed in industrial labor and over 3,000,000 in agriculture.

"SONG of Neptune," farewell performance, "Voyage of H. M. S. Albion," to-night. No seats will be vacant by nine o'clock.

COMMITTEES are admirable things, but it has been said "If the ark had been built by a committee it would not have been finished yet."

OFFICIAL returns of the recent cholera epidemic in Germany show that 8,500 persons succumbed to the disease, 7,600 dying in Hamburg alone.

We are informed by the Agents of the Austrian S. N. C. Co. that the Company's steamer Orion left Shanghai yesterday afternoon for this port.

NAUDIN, the "Vanishing Act" artist, is in Hamburg, arranging a composition with his creditors at home. Hongkong left out in the cold, as usual.

No definite arrangement has yet been made as to the "Charbonnages," though almost every hour brings some fresh rumour. An early settlement is expected.

THE new Holt steamer Pyrrhus (of which a full report was reproduced in these columns recently) arrived today. In outward appearance she is exactly like the Ulysses, recently here.

A NUMBER of Clinghase are now staying in Hongkong, waiting for the next C. P. R. boat. They are bound for Chicago, for the Ceylon tea and coffee planters exhibit at the World's Fair.

AN Irishman walking through a cemetery and reading on a tombstone the inscription "Here lies a lawyer and a honest man," sagely remarked, "Faith, an'there's two in that grave."

A REGULAR meeting of the Victoria Preceptory will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, this evening, at 8.30 or 9 o'clock precisely. Visiting companions are cordially invited to attend.

HEER FRIEDENTHAL, the great German piano tuner who dislikes the bagpipes, declines to visit Hongkong. He goes from Bangkok to Egypt, Great Chophai! let the long-haired rooster have full swing at the famous hash-pots. Amen!

THERE were only fourteen cases before the magistrate today, and all of the most trivial—a proof of the continuation of virtue and uprightness among the people—or, as the Chief Justice suggests, of the superior ability of criminals in dodging the police.

THE "Dragons at the Gate" is the title of one of a new series of children's stories, published by Kelly & Walsh, Ltd. The book is prettily bound in Japanese style, with quaint coloured pictures. The stories, written by A. R. G. and a party of English and partly of Japanese origin, amounting to their way, and the printing is clear and good. The little work is eminently suited for presentation.

HE WAS a beloved pastor, and he was conspicuously. His medical adviser prescribed the South of France, and the Anglican clergy raised a fund for his subsistence. But he was in debt and in danger of being prevented from taking the French leave he desired. He consulted a bosom friend and laid bare his position. "Fie!" said friend. After a day or two of reflection, he again visited the friend: "I have decided to file, warning you. But can you lend me £50? I find your travelling arrangements have to be modified and that I am in need of that sum, which I can restore to you very shortly." Money lent. A fortnight later, the friend received through the post a cheque for £50, "paying the amount of a final dividend of 2d. in the £ against your claim for £50 in the insolvent estate" of the Rev. Zachariah Silthorpe. The beloved pastor had gone to the South of France.

TO DAY'S SHIPPING RETURNS.

Inward.

Hollow steamer, from Wuhsu.

Pyrrhus Singapore.

Polyang Canton.

Pronto Toulon.

Michael Sebastian Moll.

Aggregating 6,650 tons, register.

Outward.

Independent steamer, for Saigon.

Actis Hollow.

Formosa Swatow.

Aris Shanghai.

Misraopore Singapore.

Doris Saigon.

Wm. J. Reich New York.

Aggregating 8,223 tons, register.

PRICES ON APPLICATION.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

Hongkong 12th January, 1893.

CAPT. Clutterbuck (H.M.S. *Caroline*) and Mrs Clutterbuck, Capt. Balfour (H.M.S. *Mercury*) and several other Naval officers went home by the *Misraopore* to-day, instead of waiting for the *Tamar* next week.

female medical missionary in Canton refused to treat the two classes professionally for the reason that it would injure her medical and social standing. Many of those missionaries are arrogant rogues and hypocrites. [This is rather rough on rats, but as it is probably true we must let it pass.—Ed. *Telegraph*.] In Nagasaki one of them openly cohabited with his *amis* during his wife's absence. On the latter's return they refused to pay the woman her wages, then due for a year, because she had broken her contract by the misconduct named. In Chefoo a married missionary seduced a female missionary and when detected *laughed* at her. In Swatow one of them owned a number of Chinese disorderly houses from which he drew a very handsome rental. In none of these, so far as I have ever learned, did any of their colleagues take any steps to punish the malefactors.

When the traveller in China sees a particularly fine house and grounds, on inquiry he will find it to be tenanted by a missionary. If it does not actually belong to one of the Missions. When he meets a pompous white person carried on the shoulders of two, four or eight coolies, with all the trappings and accompaniments of rank and station, he will usually find to his astonishment that the aristocratic-looking individual is a missionary, sent out specially to convert the heathen. These modern evangelists have generally their wives and families with them, occupy fine houses, indulge in a large retinue of servants, are well paid, and supplied with luxuries altogether unknown to them in their poorer days at home. Living and service in the Middle Kingdom are ridiculously cheap. At home the average gospel grinder is fortunate if he can afford to keep one servant. Hundreds have none. In China, there is not one missionary, male or female, who has less than two. The average apostle keeps a cook, a house-boy, a coolie and two chair coolies. These *fin de siècle* saints are notoriously close and stingy in their dealings with their servants, and are often summoned to the consular courts at the Treaty ports for non-payment of wages.

Ahibus shunned by the consuls, merchants and residents generally, they take no hints, but are perpetually begging subscriptions for various purposes, such as chapels in the interior, sick Christian converts, schools, church-organs, bibles, clocks, hospitals, asylums, and apothecary shops. They raise large amounts of money in this manner, but seldom or never report the fact truthfully at home. On the contrary they usually state it as "native" or Chinese contributions, and so give the impression that they have enthusiastic and generous converts. As a matter of fact their alleged converts do not give a cent a year, never did, and never will.

Nearly all the missionaries engage in trade more or less, and have an enviable reputation for not strictly adhering to their business transactions to the Golden Rule. The poor and meek apostle becomes rapidly changed in this *Flower Land* into the pretentious magnate, with a predilection for "squeezing" when opportunity offers.

Thus they secure medicines and surgical

goods from liberal manufacturers in England and America, and by their importation

they fit with respect to trade to be carried

in other English-built vessels, but it made

an exception in favour of America. United States ships were enabled to clear out from English ports to China, while English merchants (other than John and his licensees) could not send a British ship there.

This was the effect of Act 30 of George III.

which permitted United States vessels to clear out from any port of the United Kingdom for the principal British settlements in the East Indies, such as Calcutta, Madras, and Bombay, etc., with any goods which could be legally

The Share Market.

LATEST QUOTATIONS
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank—115 per cent.,
prem. buyers.
The National Bank of China—14—od. £10.
paid up—35 per cent. div. sellers.
The National Bank of China, Ltd.—Founders'
shares, \$200 per share, sellers.
The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ltd.—
25, sellers.
The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits Ltd.—
Founders' shares, £20; sellers.
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B—35 per cent.
premium, sellers.
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C—per cent.
premium, buyers.
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1885 E—14 per cent.
premium.
Union Insurance Society, of Canton—\$82 per
share, buyers.
China Traders' Insurance Company—\$56 per
share, sellers.
North China Insurance—Tls. 225 per share,
sellers and buyers.
Canton Insurance Company, Limited—\$100 per
share, buyers.
Yangtze Insurance Association—\$102, sellers.
On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 150
per share.
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company—\$355
per share, sellers.
China Fire Insurance Company—\$87½ per share,
buyers.
Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.—
\$30 per share, sellers.
China and Manila Steam Ship Company—28
per share, buyers.
Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—
50 per cent. discount, sellers.
Douglas Steamship Company—\$37 per share,
sellers.
The Steam Launch Co., Limited—nominal.
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company—76
per cent. premium, sellers.
Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited—\$141 per share,
buyers.
Hongkong Hotel Company—\$22, sellers.
Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per cent. Debentures—
\$50.
The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company,
Limited—\$4 per share, sellers.
The Shavee Hotel Co., Limited—\$5 per
share, sellers.
Punjab Mining Co.—\$4 per share, sellers.
The Rand Gold Mining Co., Limited—50 cents
per share, sellers.
New Iuris Mining Co., Limited—\$2½ per
share, sellers.
The Himalayan Gold Mining Co., Limited—
nominal.
Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin—
\$40 per share, sellers and buyers.
The Jebul Mining and Trading Co., Limited—
\$5 per share, sellers and buyers.
The Selama Mining Co., Limited—5 cents
per share, sellers and buyers.
London and Pacific Petroleum Co., Ltd.—\$12,
nominal.
China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$155
per share, sellers and buyers.
Luson Sugar Refining Company, Limited—
\$35, nominal.
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited—\$15 per share,
sellers and buyers.
Dakin, Crickshank & Co., Limited—\$3 per
share, sellers.
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited—\$5 per
share, sellers.
The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamer
Empress of China, left Vancouver on the 9th
instant, and is due here on the 29th.
NORTHERN PACIFIC MAIL.
The Northern Pacific Steamship Co.'s steamer
Incoma left Victoria, B.C. for Japan and Hong
kong on the afternoon of the 12th instant.
STEAMERS EXPECTED.

THE GERMAN MAIL.
The Norddeutscher Lloyd Co.'s steamer
Preussen, with the outward German mail, left
Singapore on the 16th instant, and may be
expected here on the 20th.
THE AMERICAN MAIL.
The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Persia, from
San Francisco, left Yokohama on the 16th
instant, and may be expected here on the 20th.
The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Ossander, with
mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via
Honolulu and Yokohama, on the 4th instant.
The P. M. & S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Rio
de Janeiro, with mails, &c., left San Francisco
for this via Yokohama on the 14th instant.
THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.
The C. N. Co.'s steamer Changsha left
Thursday Island on the 5th instant for Port Darwin
(12th), and Hongkong.
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STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The Austrian Lloyd's S. N. Co.'s steamer
Orion left Shanghai on the afternoon of the 15th
instant, and is due here on the 21st.
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Manila left
London for this port on the 17th ultimo.
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Malacca left
Singapore on the 16th instant, and is expected here on
the 22nd.
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer London left
Singapore on the 5th instant, and may be
expected here on the 11th.
The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited—
\$74 per share, sellers and buyers.
The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited—
\$56 per share, sellers and buyers.
The West Point Buildings Co., Limited—\$265
per share, sellers.
H. G. Brown & Co., Limited—\$15 per share,
sellers.
Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown
Company—\$45 per share, sellers.
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company,
Limited—\$100 per share, sellers.
Hongkong Gas Company—\$105 per share,
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Hongkong Ice Company—\$268 per share, buyers.
Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited—
\$35 per share, sellers.
The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Limited—
\$35 per share, sellers.
The Green Island Cement Co.—\$45 per share
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The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited—\$21
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The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Limited—
\$25 per share, nominal.
The Hongkong High Level Tramway Co.,
Limited—\$55 per share, sellers.

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ON PARIS—
Bank Bills, on demand 3/42

Credits, at 4 months' sight 3/50

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